

The clerk of the senate returned the bills, entitled, An act relative to tobacco remaining in the several tobacco warehouses, and the manner of issuing manifests and notes, in this state; endorsed, "will not pass." And,

An act relative to the inspection of tobacco: endorsed, "will pass with the proposed amendments;" which amendments were read the first, and, by a special order, the second time, and severally assented to.

And the resolution in favour of the administrator and the securities of Francis Gillespie, late sheriff of Cecil county; endorsed, "assented to."

Whereupon, it was Ordered, That the last mentioned bill, and the said resolution, be severally engrossed.

The said clerk also delivered the following message; which was read:

By the Senate, Feby. 26th, 1828.

Gentlemen of the House of Delegates,

The senate have had under consideration the bill passed by your honourable body, entitled, An act to regulate sales by public auction, and having objections to it in its present shape, which the senate cannot constitutionally obviate by amendment, and believing that the auction duties, if judiciously regulated, may form an important item in a general system of revenue, the senate respectfully propose the appointment of a committee of conference upon the bill, and name on the part of the senate Messrs. Thomas, Lloyd, Herbert, Heath and Johnson.

By order,

Wm. Kilty, Clk.

And the petition of David Winchester, and others, praying the passage of a law authorising and directing the commissioners of Baltimore county, to levy a sum of money for the purposes therein mentioned, referred by the senate to the consideration of this house; which was read and laid on the table.

Mr. Semmes offered the following message for consideration:

By the House of Delegates, 27th Feb. 1828.

Gentlemen of the Sanate,

We agree to the proposition contained in your message for a committee of conference upon the bill, entitled, An act to regulate sales by public auction, and have appointed Messrs. _____, to meet the gentlemen named by you.

Which being twice read, and the blank therein filled with the names of Messrs. Semmes, Teackle, Potter, Fitzhugh, Tilghman, Steuart of Baltimore city, and Taney, it was agreed to.

Pursuant to the order adopted by this house on yesterday, the house then adjourned until this evening five o'clock.